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1. DEPARTMENT HAS MADE THE FOLLOWING ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE MEETINGS OF THE QUADRIPARTITE POLITICAL CONFIDENTIAL

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DIRECTORS AND FOREIGN MINISTERS ON MAY 29. US REP SHOULD INFORM BONN GROUP OF THE ARRANGEMENTS AND OBTAIN THE INFORMATION REQUESTED IN PARAGRAPHS 2-4.

10:00 MEETING OF POLITICAL DIRECTORS AND BERLIN EXPERTS IN EUR CONFERENCE ROOM AT DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

PARTICIPANTS WILL BE MET AT C-STREET ENTRANCE.

12:30 LUNCHEON HOSTED BY ASSISTANT SECRETARY VEST IN HENRY CLAY ROOM AT DEPARTMENT.

2:00 CONTINUATION OF POLITICAL DIRECTORS MEETING IN EUR CONFERENCE ROOM.

7:30 PRE-DINNER DISCUSSION OF BERLIN-RELATED ISSUES INCLUDING REPORT OF POLITICAL DIRECTORS TO FOREIGN MINISTERS IN JAMES MONROE ROOM AT DEPARTMENT OF STATE. PARTICIPANTS WILL BE MET AGAIN AT C-STREET ENTRANCE.

8:30 DINNER HOSTED BY SECRETARY VANCE. MINISTERS PLUS ONE WILL DINE IN JAMES MADISON ROOM. ONLY ADDITIONAL PERSONS AT MINISTERS DINNER WILL BE ONE NOTETAKER(IF FRENCH INSIST ON HAVING THEIR OWN NOTETAKER, EMBASSY SHOULD REFER REQUEST TO DEPARTMENT) AND AN INTERPRETER FOR GENSCHER IF DESIRED BY FRG. DINNER FOR BERLIN EXPERTS AND OTHERS PRESENT FOR PRE-DINNER MEETING WILL TAKE PLACE IN MARTIN VAN BUREN ROOM IN SAME GENERAL AREA OF DEPARTMENT'S EIGHTH FLOOR.

2. WE WOULD APPRECIATE KNOWING AS SOON AS POSSIBLE NAMES AND CORRECT TITLES OF PERSONS WHO WILL ATTEND CONFIDENTIAL

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THE ABOVE EVENTS. WE HOPE TO LIMIT LUNCHEON TO 16 PERSONS ALTHOUGH A FEW MORE MAY BE SQUEEZED INTO ROOM IF NECESSARY. AS INDICATED ABOVE, ATTENDANCE AT MINISTERIAL DINNER WILL BE TIGHTLY RESTRICTED BUT THERE WILL BE ROOM IN THE VAN BUREN ROOM FOR THE OTHER MEMBERS OF THE MINISTERS' PARTIES.

- 3. PLEASE ADVISE IF GENSCHER WILL WISH AN INTERPRETER AND, IF SO, WHETHER HE WILL BRING HIS OWN OR WILL WISH DEPT TO PROVIDE INTERPRETER.
- 4. IF ANY OF THE MINISTERS WILL BE ACCOMPANIED TO THE DINNER BY SECURITY PERSONNEL, PLEASE ADVISE SO THAT WE CAN ARRANGE TO HAVE FOOD AVAILABLE FOR THEM. VANCE

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